

# THE GREATEST WORLDS FAIR

ATTENDED BY 7,000,000 WEEK IN ST. LOUIS.

DAILY ADMISSIONS AT WORLD'S FAIR AVERAGE 100,000.

Number of People at St. Louis Exposition During First Two Weeks of August Totals More Than Entire Month of May.

St. Louis, Aug. 15.—From all directions the tide of travel now points to the World's Fair, and the constantly increasing number of admissions encourages the Exposition management to believe that the attendance figures will be up to their most hopeful estimate before the gates are closed on December 1.

Sufficient evidence of the growing popularity of the World's Fair is presented in the statement that the attendance for June was more than double that for May, and that the number of admissions in July was nearly a quarter of a million in excess of the figures for the month preceding. On August 2 the number of admissions needed only a few to equal that for the first full week of the Exposition, and the attendance for the first week of

HOW TO SPEND SIX DAYS TO BEST ADVANTAGE.

Suggestions Offered by Chicago Evening Post Writer Will Save Time, Money and Regrets—Gives Interesting Itinerary.

A writer in the Chicago Evening Post, "L. M. McC.", offers the following suggestions on spending a week at the World's Fair to best advantage. He says:

Rooms at \$1.25 and \$1.50 a day, with breakfast, are abundant. When landing at the union station, if undecided about location, go at once to the bureau of information in the station, where lists of rooming-houses and small hotels may be had. Choose a place near the grounds if possible. If in walking distance so much the better, as one may be independent of crowded cars and save car fares.

It is best to have breakfast at the boarding-house or near by, and depend on the restaurants of the Exposition for luncheon and dinner. I have yet to hear of a case of extortion, and the restaurants in the grounds are interesting if one chooses wisely.

Just a word about clothes. The wise woman will wear a light-weight walking suit, with dark waist—as pretty as she choose in neckwear—and the man will have a light-weight coat and get rid of a heavy vest. White shirtwaists are a joy to womankind, but by mid-day they lose their freshness and at night they are distressing. A silk shirtwaist suit is not warm and just the thing.

MONDAY—Get a bird's-eye view. Make it an outdoor day. Take a map of the grounds and get your bearings. Take the Intramural train at Station 1, or at Station 17, the terminus, and ride all the way around, keeping both eyes wide open for points of interest noted on the map. Leaving the Intramural after the round trip, walk toward the Grand Basin and Cascade Fountains, identifying the buildings along the way, drinking in the beauty, resting near the music pavilion to hear one or two numbers, studying the Louisiana monument and finally climbing the Colonnade of States.

Statuary has greeted one on every side. The artists' names are conspicuous and no time is lost in taking this walk leisurely. From the Colonnade of States, with a map in hand, one may pick out the large buildings and get enduring impressions of the grandeur of the Exposition as a whole.

A return walk may be made to the right past the German building to the Sunken garden and the imposing Government building. But by all means stay out of doors one day. Take supper out of doors and linger around the Grand Basin while the lights are being turned on. Choose a place near a band stand and after dark take to the Pike and keep out of doors.

TUESDAY—If one is a lover of art devote the early hours to the galleries. Take the Intramural to Art Palace station. Make up your mind that you can't see it all and spend this morning in the east pavilion—Sweden, Germany, Holland, Canada, Austria. At noon go out of doors and turn to the left. Take lunch on some pleasant porch along the way—a cup of tea in Japan or Ceylon. Follow the water ways to the Music pavilion and flower beds and the Peace monument. If your tastes so incline, walk through Machinery and Transportation buildings and perhaps the Electricity building.

Spend the evening on the Pike.

WEDNESDAY—Enter the grounds at the Administration entrance, or via the Intramural. Visit the Austrian house for art and arts craft, the finest display of its kind on the grounds; Holland house, a reproduction of an old Dutch house, with a copy of Rembrandt's "Night Watch"; Sweden, a modest establishment of a hunting club; Great Britain, with its old English garden and trimmed shrubbery, and rooms illustrating different periods of English furnishing; Belgium, China, Cuba, Brazil, Nicaragua, Siam and Mexico and the extremely interesting exhibit of Belgium. France lies just across the way—a reproduction of the Grand Trianon and the Garden of Versailles—and the little Italian temple crowns a hilltop. Here in a group is enough to occupy all day. The United States life-saving exhibit, the Ferris wheel, the Forestry and Fish and Game buildings are in the same locality.

THURSDAY—Go direct to the Fine Arts Palace and see Great Britain and the United States pavilion. When weary leave the Art Palace, walk to the right, lunch at one of the out-of-door cafes, if you can afford it, in Germany. Then visit the Palace of Charlottenburg and spend the rest of the day in the Education, Mines and Government buildings. Spend the evening on the Pike or in the illuminated Palace of Fine Arts.

FRIDAY—Enter the Varied Industries building and pass by degrees



CROWD AT UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT BUILDING.

through the Manufactures and Liberal Arts buildings, and the rest of the day on the Terrace of the States.

SATURDAY—Make a final visit to the Art Palace, West pavilion, France and Sculpture court. Take the Intramural to the Horticulture and Agricultural buildings. Jerusalem, the Boer camp or the Philippines. The Indian schools are extremely interesting and well worth while. Of course when near the Illinois building one should register.

Personal taste naturally governs the sightseeing and some not caring to grasp the whole would map out just the things of most interest to them.

## FILIPINOS ARE MANY

1,300 ISLANDERS INCLUDED IN WORLD'S FAIR EXHIBIT.

William H. Taft, the present secretary of war, was civil governor of the Philippine Islands, he conceived the idea that the World's Fair at St. Louis, almost in the center of the United States, would offer an excellent opportunity to show to the American people the wonderful resources of the archipelago and the character of the inhabitants. Gov. Taft outlined a plan for a Filipino display at St. Louis, which has been carried out faithfully.

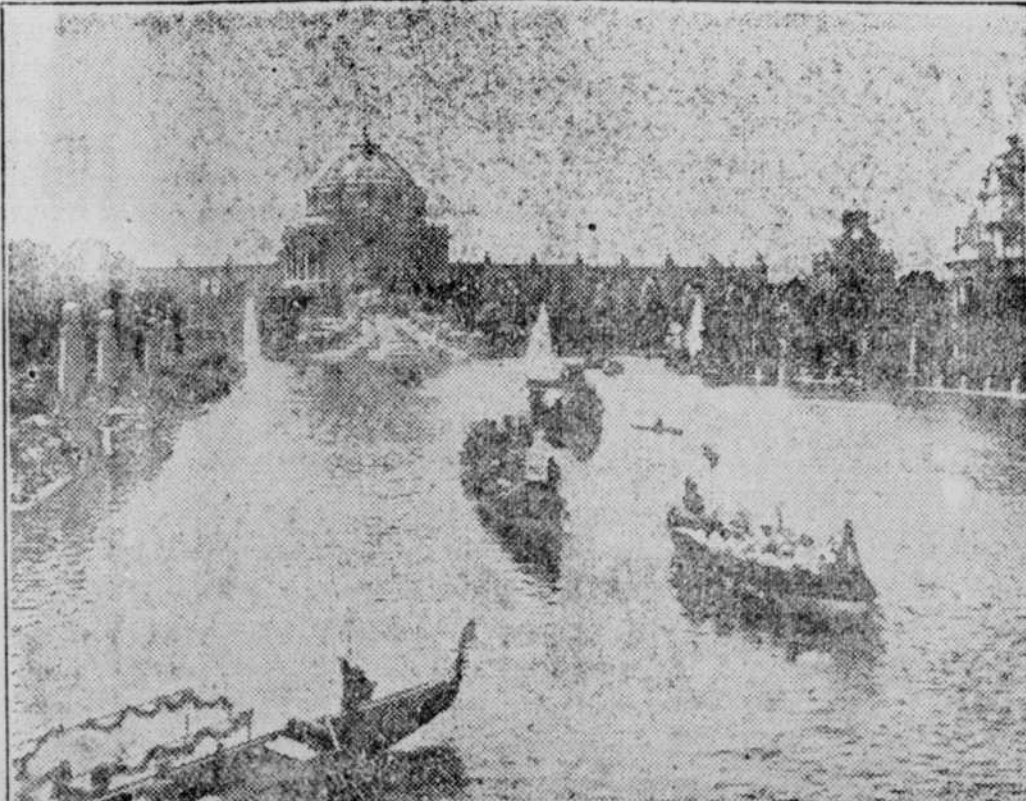
The Philippine Exposition is perhaps the most striking feature of the World's Fair. It covers a tract of 17 acres. There are 1,300 natives. The buildings number about 113, not counting the numerous huts in the five native villages. Because the Philippine display is rather isolated from the rest of the Fair, the average visitor is generally amazed when he crosses the Bridge of Spain over Arrow Head lake, goes through the grim-looking entrance of the Walled City, and beholds the elaborate features spread out before him. The cost of the Philippine Exposition approximates \$1,500,000. All of this expense except \$200,000 is born by the insular government, and the Filipinos are glad to contribute this amount to indicate the won-



GROUP OF TYPICAL COCOPA INDIANS.

derful worth of this country and to get in touch with the progressive idea.

This Philippine Exposition is a place of contrasts. The man who goes into it thoroughly is amazed at the patriotism, culture and skill of the best representatives, and at the depravity, superstition and ignorance of the sav-



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ENTRANCE TO AUSTRIA BUILDING.

August was nearly as great as for the entire month of May.

With 100,000 well pleased visitors going out every day as advance agents for the crowds that are to come, and with the effective denial of unfavorable reports sent broadcast about the weather conditions and hotel accommodations, the World's Fair is now receiving proper attention. The increased attendance has stimulated the life of the Exposition and the World's Fair has reached its full height of glory and splendor.

The following are official attendance figures from the opening of the Exposition:

Saturday, April 30, Opening Day.....	187,793
Mon., May 2.....	19,375
Tues., May 3.....	21,424
Wed., May 4.....	20,155
Thurs., May 5.....	23,142
Fri., May 6.....	21,669
Sat., May 7.....	31,322
Total.....	137,708

Mon., May 16.....	26,075
Tues., May 17.....	32,215
Wed., May 18.....	42,451
Thurs., May 19.....	47,382
Fri., May 20.....	44,587
Sat., May 21.....	64,936
Total.....	257,647

Mon., May 30.....	73,247
Tues., May 31.....	48,400
Wed., June 1.....	53,643
Thurs., June 2.....	49,186
Fri., June 3.....	60,183
Sat., June 4.....	92,485
Total.....	376,146

Mon., June 13.....	65,492
Tues., June 14.....	75,142
Wed., June 15.....	74,138
Thurs., June 16.....	85,346
Fri., June 17.....	87,994
Sat., June 18.....	87,024
Total.....	475,187

Mon., June 27.....	65,351
Tues., June 28.....	92,334
Wed., June 29.....	97,129
Thurs., June 30.....	98,423
Fri., July 1.....	76,829
Sat., July 2.....	100,474
Total.....	540,340

Mon., July 11.....	74,543
Tues., July 12.....	87,476
Wed., July 13.....	87,165
Thurs., July 14.....	82,794
Fri., July 15.....	76,829
Sat., July 16.....	91,522
Total.....	500,859

Mon., July 25.....	81,901
Tues., July 26.....	89,003
Wed., July 27.....	85,003
Thurs., July 28.....	96,010
Fri., July 29.....	77,044
Sat., July 30.....	122,279
Total.....	551,842

ATTENDANCE TEN WEEKS SINCE OPENING.

Opening Day, April 30.....	187,793
Week ending May 7.....	137,708
Week ending May 14.....	184,399
Week ending May 21.....	257,647
Week ending May 28.....	299,990
Week ending June 4.....	376,146
Week ending June 11.....	475,187
Week ending June 18.....	540,340
Week ending June 25.....	540,485
Week ending July 2.....	540,340
Week ending July 9.....	592,303
Week ending July 16.....	590,228
Week ending July 23.....	512,150
Week ending July 30.....	551,842
Week ending August 6.....	604,411

### RECAPITULATION.

Attendance, April, 1 day.....	187,793
Attendance, May, 26 days.....	1,001,391
Attendance, June, 26 days.....	2,124,836
Attendance, July, 27 days.....	2,345,557
Attendance, August, 6 days.....	604,411
Total since opening.....	6,258,988